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So much love for Uru, then again, who wouldn't love a majestic black dragon bishie XDDDD
- Panda

やさしい竜の殺し方

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SFX: ROAR
A dragon?!
...What's going on? I mean, didn't it die just now?!
PATTER
PATTER
...NO.
THAT'S...

SFX WHACK
SORRY, ARK.
step
D-DOLIMA?!

drag
I WILL FOLLOW SOON.
GAIS...
TAKE ARK AND CLAUDIA, THEN RETURN TO THE SHIP

HOLD ON!
WHAT ABOUT URU?!
WHEN A MYSTICAL BEAST FROM THE YIN WORLD IS EXPOSED TO YANG ESSENCE FOR TOO LONG, HE WILL GO BERSERK
WHEN HE WAS ALMOST AT HIS LIMIT, HE WAS IMMERSED IN A LARGE AMOUNT OF YANG ESSENCE
YOU HEARD WHAT HE SAID EARLIER, RIGHT?
I PROMISED HIM THAT I'D TAKE CARE OF HIM WHEN THE WORST-CASE SCENARIO HAPPENS.
Fulfill your promise with me, my friend!
NOW IS THAT WORST-CASE SCENARIO.
SFX: CLENCH
SFX: ROAR
HEY.
WHEN THE STONE CORPSE OF THE PREVIOUS KING WAS RELEASED, YOU SAID SOMETHING ABOUT THE CONTRACT AND THREE PEOPLE....
DID YOU MEAN THIS?

YEAH... FOR THOSE OF US WITH THE BLOOD OF THE HOLY QUEEN,
I CAN'T MAKE YOU OR ARK DO IT.
...THEREFORE, I'LL DO IT.
AT TIMES LIKE THIS, WE HAVE A METHOD TO KILL THE DRAGONS IN ONE GO.
...IS THERE NO HELPING IT NOW?
...I DON'T WANT TO DO IT EITHER
PATTER
ROAR
HOWEVER, IF A MAD DRAGON GOES OUT ONTO THE SURFACE OF THE EARTH, THERE WILL BE A GREAT UPRISING. PEOPLE WILL DIE
LOOKING IT UP IN THE RUIN OF THE CAPITAL ISN'T GOOD ENOUGH, EITHER.

...Uru.
Clutch
STANDS
STUPID URU!
BRINGING ALONG A FRIEND WHO WILL KILL YOU IS SUCH A HORRIBLE DECISION!
I...
I...
LOVE YOU!!!

YOU DON'T HAVE TO FORCE YOURSELF TO KILL HIM.
DOUMA...
WIPES
LEANS
YEAH...
DON'T FORCE YOURSELF
I AM EXTREMELY SORRY THAT I CANNOT DO IT
RUSTLE
creak
creak

SFX BOOM
!!!
"FULFILL YOUR PROMISE WITH ME, MY FRIEND!"
YOU SHOULD HAVE CALLED MY NAME AND ORDERED ME
OR IS IT THAT YOU'RE NOT EVEN CERTAIN YOURSELF...?
CLENCH
...URU.

SFX: BOOM
...GOD DAMN IT!
GRAB
BY THE WAY,
YOU SAID THAT THE SPEAR OF THE CONTRACT WILL APPEAR FROM THE BLOOD OF A DESCENDANT OF THE HOLY QUEEN,
BUT HOW EXACTLY DO I MAKE IT APPEAR?
I'M NOT VERY HAPPY ABOUT THAT.
WILL IT COME OUT WHEN I'M IN A DESPERATE SITUATION OR SOMETHING?
SFX: ROA
HEY, HIRU...
OH BOY... I GUESS I'LL JUST GIVE IT A TRY. I HAVE NOTHING TO LOSE ANYWAY.

pant
DRAG
DRAG
pant
pant
pant
CRACK
!!!
SFX: SLASH

...!
UGH...
SFX: CLANG
SFX: SLASH
...ARGH!
GAIS!
SFX: THUD

SFX: WHOOSH
Break Shock!!!
BAM
AH
Ark!!!
THROB
SFX HISS
THIS PLACE.
...Uru!
SFX STAGGER

No, Ark! Don't go!
Ark!!!
SFX. PANT PANT
SFX. PANT PANT
That...
that dragon...
SFX. STOMP STOMP

SFX: SUKI KISED
Urgh?!
URAN-BORG...
phew

SFX: ROAR
SFX: GLOW
SFX: GUSH
My blood...?!
SFX: ROA

SFX: LOOKS UP
SFX: GLOW
WHY DID SOMETHING LIKE THIS APPEAR FROM MY BODY. .?
A SPEAR..?
SFX: GLOW
...D—
Over there...
That's where Uru dealt the finishing blow to the previous King!
DON'T TELL ME...

SFX: THROWS
What's... the legendary contract of love is?!
This is...
This is...!
SFX: STEP
This is abominable...
This isn't in the contract!
Isn't this a totally disgusting curse in this world?!
SFX: ROAR
SFX: CLACK CLACK
I GOT THEM TO TAKE YOU AWAY, SO THAT IT WON'T TURN INTO THIS...
YOU IDIOT! WHY DID YOU COME BACK?!
DAMN IT!

SFX: BAM
SFX: HOLDS UP
YOU BASTARD! YOU INTENDED TO KILL URU!!!
DID YOU...
DID YOU KNOW ABOUT THIS, DOUMA?
DON'T LOSE CONTROL OF YOURSELF URU ASKED ME TO DO THIS
HE ASKED ME TO KILL HIM IF HE GOES BER-SERK

WHY...?!
BETWEEN THE HOLY QUEEN AND THAT IRRESPONSIBLE RED-HEAD?!
SFX SHOUTS
WHY DOES URU HAVE TO DIE BECAUSE OF A CONTRACT EXCHANGED A THOUSAND YEARS AGO...
I HEARD THAT THE KING OF BEASTS HAS TO SACRIFICE HIMSELF TO SAVE THE WORLD FROM THE GREAT CALAMITY
IN ORDER TO RESTORE THE EQUILIBRIUM WHICH HAS GONE IMBALANCE, A LARGE AMOUNT OF ESSENCE IS NECESSARY
APPARENTLY DRAGONS HAVE PLENTY OF THAT PACKED IN THEIR BODIES

WHENEVER A LOT OF PEOPLE DIE IN A GREAT CHAOS, A KING OF BEASTS WOULD COME FROM THE YIN WORLD...
THAT MEANS...EVER SINCE THE BEGINNING, URU CAME HERE WITH THE INTENTION OF DYING...?
THAT'S RIGHT. BOUND BY THE HOLY VOW, HE CAN'T RETURN TO THE YIN WORLD
SFX STARE
...HE SAID THAT HE LOVES ME...

He said that he loves me!
SFX ROAR, ROAR
clench
HE PLANNED TO DIE RIGHT FROM THE START..
AND YET, HE SAID THAT TO ME?

DID YOU FORGET THAT THING ABOUT "FATED LOVERS" IS ALSO A PART OF THE HOLY VOW?
THE DRAGONS HATE HUMANS,
BUT IF IT'S FOR THE SAKE OF THE ONE HE LOVES, HE CAN EVEN THROW AWAY HIS LIFE
THAT'S ..
Stop chatting on idly and whining!
That's the way of living for a king of the beasts!
...HOWEVER,
THERE'S NO LONGER ANY NEED TO KILL URU!

SFX BOOM
IF YOU KILL TWO DRAGONS, ON THE CONTRARY, THE EQUILIB-RIUM WILL GO IMBALANCE AGAIN!!!
DIDN'T THE PREVIOUS KING OF BEASTS DIE IN HIS STEAD?
EVEN SO, CAN YOU LEAVE A MAD DRAGON TO TAKE CARE OF ITSELF?!
AN INNU-MERABLE NUMBER OF VICTIMS OF THE GREAT CHAOS ENSUED WILL BE KILLED BY URU!
SFX GRAB
DO YOU THINK HE WISHES FOR SOME-THING LIKE THAT?!
SFX PFFFT

SFX: SMACK
HOW MANY DRAGONS WERE ALREADY SACRIFICED?
THIS TIME, HUMANS CAN DIE...
YOU'RE ALSO A HUMAN!
YOU'RE ALSO A HUMAN WHO'S ALIVE THANKS TO THE SACRIFICES OF KINGS OF BEASTS!
DON'T FORGET THAT!
EVEN SO, YOU CAN'T SAY THAT IT'S FINE FOR US TO CONTINUE SACRIFICING THEM!!!

YEAH, EXACTLY. I ALSO...
...NO, EVEN THE KINGS OF BEASTS WHO EXCHANGED THE HOLY VOWS.
PROBABLY DIDN'T THINK THAT THIS IS THE BEST WAY TO DO THINGS
Many times, the world steals from them
What they love.
The tragedy that repeats itself again and again

SFX: PATTER PATTER
IF WE WANT TO SAVE MANY LIVES WITH VERY FEW SACRIFICES,
THAT'S THE ONLY WAY.
...HOW-EVER,
Uru...
THE KINGS HAVE TO BE ABLE TO HAVE THAT DETER-MINATION.
...THIS IS ENOUGH. I INTENDED TO DO IT IN THE FIRST PLACE ANYWAY.

SFX: CRACKLE
...?!
PATTER
ARK, I UNDERSTAND VERY WELL THE PAIN YOU'RE GOING THROUGH
I ALSO.
SFX: REACH OUT

SFX: ROAR
DAMN IT... DOES THAT MEAN ONLY YOU CAN USE IT?

SFX ROAR
!!!
SFX CLENCH
SFX BOOM
draws out
PICK UP THE SPEAR, ARK.
IF YOU SAY THAT YOU CAN'T THROW IT NO MATTER WHAT,
I'LL DO IT.

HOWEVER, IN ORDER TO MAKE A SPEAR THAT I CAN USE APPEAR,
I'LL HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO KILL YOU...
...BOTH YOU AND URU ARE MY FRIENDS.
SFX: ROAR
THE JOB THIS TIME WAS TOUGH,
BUT I'VE NEVER HAD THIS MUCH FUN BEFORE...
IT WAS OUR BEST PARTY.
AND YET... IT TURNED INTO SOME-THING LIKE THIS

Now I understand very well the emotions of the king of sorcery,
who turned into a devil that wishes the destroy the world.
WE HAD BAD LUCK TO HAVE MET EACH OTHER
OR I GUESS YOU CAN SAY THAT THERE'S NOTHING THAT CAN BE DONE ABOUT OUR FATE
Anyone would probably think it's better to die,
rather than having to kill a loved one.
However, he cannot go mad, nor can he die.
He can only curse the world and wander around this world
That's another self of me.

AS SOME-ONE...
STARE
SFX: CLENCH
But I...
AS SOMEONE WITH THE BLOOD OF THE HOLY QUEEN...
SFX: WHOOOSH

I DECLARE THAT ALL THE HOLY VOWS EXCHANGED BETWEEN THE HOLY QUEEN AND THE KING OF BEASTS AT THAT TIME,
TO BE REVOKED AS OF THIS MOMENT!
SFX: FLASH
REVOK-ING THE HOLY VOW?!
IF YOU DO SOMETHING LIKE THAT...

SFX BOOM
whoosh
...I INTENDED TO DIE VERY SOON AFTER THAT,
pant
pant
IF THE SPEAR HAD KILLED YOU...

WHOOSH
BUT WE'RE BOTH FREE NOW.
shake
shake
YOU IDIOT! WHAT ARE WE GONNA DO?!
BOTH THE SPEAR AND THE CREST OF HIS WEAK POINT HAVE DISAP-PEARED!!!
EVEN SOMETHING THAT I ACCOM-PLISHED AFTER DESPERATELY SPENDING MY EFFORTS WAS ALSO TAKEN AWAY FROM ME SO EASILY.
I HATED THAT WORLD, AND THE HUMANS IN IT
Patter
THE WORLD HAS ALWAYS CAUSED ME PAIN. IT WASN'T KIND TO ME AT ALL.

ONLY YOU LOVED ME.
"I love you."
YOU LOVED ME WITHOUT ASKING FOR ANYTHING IN RETURN.
Everytime you confessed those words to me
The wounds that had been carved onto my heart disappeared one by one
All of the sad, painful, and miserable things

Just thinking about them is painful, but I couldn't forget about them
It was as painful as drinking poison...
I love you.
Your words erased the poison that has seeped into my heart, like magic.
I LOVE YOU, URANBORG.
I LOVE YOU MORE THAN THIS WORLD, HUMANS, AND MY OWN LIFE.

I DON'T CARE IF YOU'RE CRAZY, OR IF YOU'RE A DRAGON
IF IT'S A WORLD WITHOUT YOU, I DON'T CARE IF IT IS DESTROYED
I LOVE YOU.
I LOVE YOUR LIFE, MORE THAN ANYTHING...

SFX WHOOSH
"Arkanjel..."
I LOVE YOU.
"Those words are the strongest incantation to cast on me."

URUP! HAVE YOU BECOME SANE AGAIN WITH THE LIGHT FROM EARLIER?
"Even if you want to revoke-- the Holy Vow..."
swish
"I still love you, Arkanjel."
"I'm also a man, I'm younger than you and on top of that I am a dragon."
"But give up and accept that there's a fate like this, too."

IF YOU SAY THAT, I'LL SAY THAT I'M ALSO A MAN. I'M OLDER. AND ON TOP OF THAT, I AM A HUMAN.
BUT YOU MADE ADVANCES ON ME AFTER KNOWING THAT RIGHT FROM THE START.
SO I WON'T LET YOU COMPLAIN LATER.
SPLASH
glow
SHUDDER
"As long as I'm still alive, I will still love Arkanjel."
"Here, I vow that again."

SFX
WHOOSH
KEEP THIS WITH YOU
I DON'T NEED IT IN THE YIN WORLD AND IT'LL BE USEFUL TO PROTECT YOURSELF, ARKANJEL.
THIS SWORD IS A PART OF ME,
SO I'LL KNOW RIGHT AWAY IF YOU'RE IN DANGER.
I'LL DEFINITELY COME TO SAVE YOU!

YOU HAVE TO DEPART SO SOON
CLAUDIA AND THE OTHERS WILL BE SAD
HOLDS
THE WORLDS WE LIVE IN ARE DIFFERENT.
THE IMBALANCE OF THE WORLD HAS BEEN ERASED AND THE DANGER OF A GREAT CALAMITY HAS ALSO CLEARED
HOWEVER, A DRAGON CANNOT STAY IN THIS WORLD ANY LONGER THAN THIS
CLENCH

SFX: HUGS
I CAN'T BE BY YOUR SIDE AND LIVE WITH YOU
THAT'S SOMETHING WE CANNOT DO ANYTHING ABOUT
HOWEVER, IF ANYTHING HAPPENS I WILL DEFINITELY COME TO SAVE YOU
THEREFORE
DON'T LOCK YOURSELF UP IN THAT SMALL ROOM WHERE ONLY YOUR MOTHER HAD LIVED IN

Hugs head
IF ONLY YOU WISH FOR IT, AN INFINITE NUMBER OF DOORS WILL APPEAR IN FRONT OF YOU
BEYOND THEM ARE THE PEOPLE WHO CHERISH YOU.
EVEN IF YOU DON'T REALIZE IT, THERE'S LOVE THERE.
Holds child
YOU DON'T HAVE TO FORCE YOURSELF.
OPEN THOSE SMALL DOORS LITTLE BY LITTLE

IF ANYTHING PAINFUL HAPPENS,
I'LL COME TO YOU.

SFX: CLENCH
...I TRUST YOU.
SO I'M NOT SCARED OF ANYTHING
AS LONG AS THE MOST PRECIOUS THING TO ME EXISTS, I WON'T BE UNHAPPY.
holds tightly
EVEN IF WE LIVE APART FROM EACH OTHER, I STILL LOVE YOU.

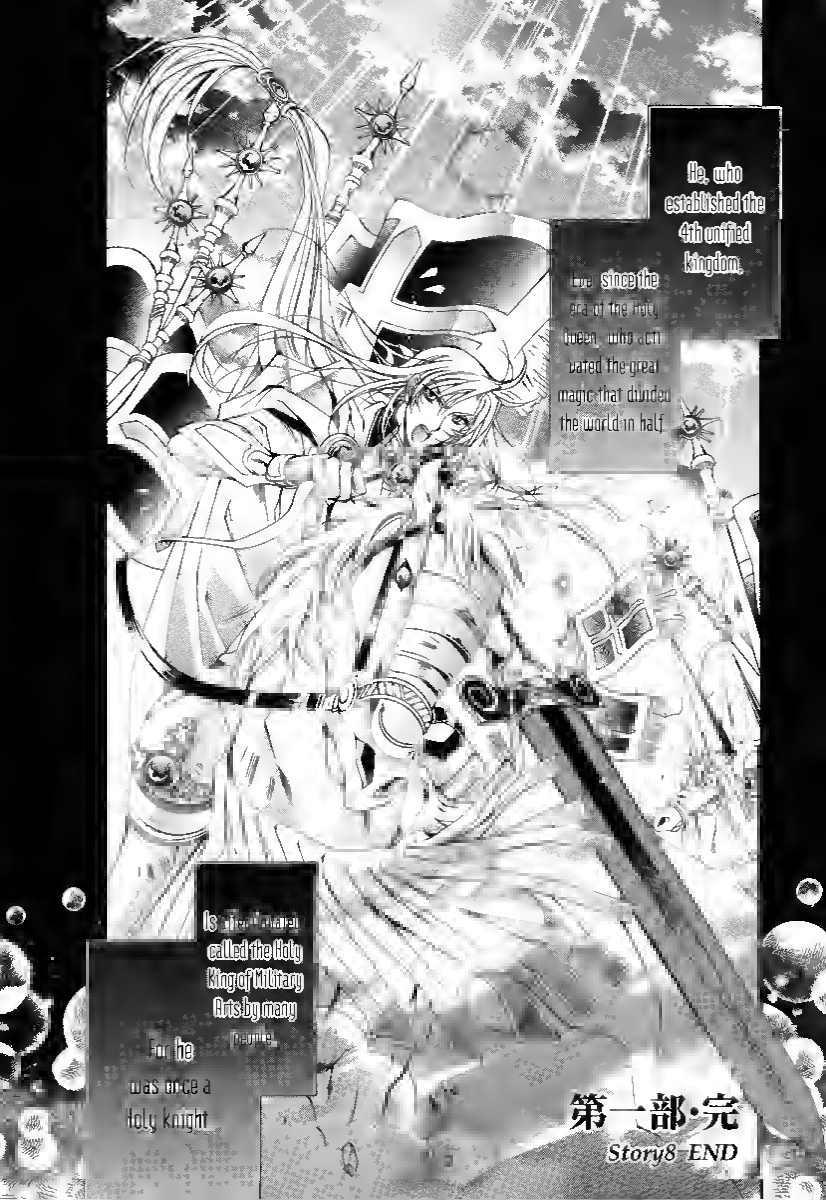
swish
rustle
JUMPS
flap

I love you.
SAAAAA
HOW BEAUTIFUL...

That's right...
Even if this is a parting for eternity...
SFX SHINE
SFX FLAP
I will continue to love the world that you protected, together with you

SFX SHINES
I love you...

SFX ROAR
15 years later.....
The Holy man who created the miracle of purifying the old battlefield
The young man who obtained the legendary Sword of Holy Vows
Became a strong support to the religious order of The Four Ancestor Gods and won many fights


He, who established the 4th unified kingdom.
Love since the era of the fight between who each bared the great magic that divided the world in half.
Is also known as called the Holy King of Military Arts by many people.
For he was once a Holy knight

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Story8 END

RAWR
Why won't you release the next chapter?!
Can I help you?
What can I do to help?
Fan Girl
It's not like YOU helped out any...
We don't have enough translators or editors
Cross-eyed attempt
Visit our website for details
Find us some translators and editors and you'll have your next chapter
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The rabid souls behind your favorite releases!

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*note to self
Dragons are such a smooth talker XDDD

-craxx

Part 2 Story9

SFX CRACK
CRACKLE
CRACKLE
CRACKLE
THEY'RE ALMOST DONE
SFX WHOOOO
SFX WHOOSH
SFX BOOM

SFX BA-DUMP
NOTHING LESS FROM THE LIGHTNING FANG KING.
WITH THIS, THE PROBLEM OF SUCCESSION IS SOLVED.
.....
SFX WHOOSH
LIGHTNING FANG KING?! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
SFX WHOOSH
I'M GOING TO THE HUMAN WORLD.
THE LIFE OF THE HUMAN I SWORE TO PROTECT WHEN I CROSSED INTO THE WORLD OF YANG IS IN DANGER.

The world of yang where the wars continue
The Holy Unification Army, led by Arkanjel, was once again in fierce battle
with the third great country, Toukyouto which envisioned the re-unification of the domain.
WE'LL GRADUALLY GET CLOSER TO THE ENEMY ARMY FROM THE MOUN-TAINSIDE!

COMMANDER ARKANJEL!
PLEASE HURRY AND GET TO HEADQUAR-TERS WHERE GENERAL DOUMA IS!
A SURPRISE ATTACK?! DID TOCHIGIKEN BETRAY US?!

SFX. RUNNING
SFX. SWISH
The one who pledged with the King of Beasts,
who saved the world from a great calamity two years ago Arkangel...
WE CAN DEFEAT MORE ENEMIES IF I FIGHT!
EVERYONE, USE THIS CHANCE TO REGROUP AT HEAD-QUARTERS!
aimed for the unification of the whole country,
so that they could make a peaceful world that did not sacrifice mythical beasts

WHOOOSH
A CRIMSON SWORD...
THAT'S THE LEGENDARY "SWORD OF PLEDGE!"
THAT'S COMMANDER ARKANJEL!
IF WE DEFEAT HIM, IT'S OUR WIN!
KILL HIM!
OHHH!

CLAUDIA! HURRY AND GET TO HEAD-QUARTERS WHERE DOUMA AND THE OTHERS ARE!
IF SOMETHING HAPPENED TO YOU, I'D NEVER BE ABLE TO FACE DOUMA AGAIN!
SFX SLASH
YOU'RE SAYING THAT NOW! NOW THAT WE'VE COME THIS FAR, WE'LL SHARE THE SAME FATE!
I'LL HIT YOU IF YOU TELL ME I'M A BURDEN!
SFX SLASH
ARK, BEHIND YOU!

SFX WHOOSH
OHHHH
THE COM-MANDER'S HEAD IS MINE!
SFX CLANG
SFX THUD
GUAAUH!

SFX CRAB
ARK!
YOU MUSTN'T! YOU'LL BE KILLED, TOO, PRINCESS!
stagger
NOW'S OUR CHANCE! SURROUND THE COMMANDER! CUT HIM DOWN!
ALL RIGHT! HE'S LET GO OF THE SWORD OF PLEDGE!
AHH—
SFX BAM
OHHHH!

STOP!

SFX: SIZZLE
SFX: CLACK
Uran-
borg!

SFX: CRACKLE, CRACKLE, CRACKLE, CRACKLE
SFX: SIZZLE
LIGHT-NING?!
Mm.
NO WAY! ONLY OUR ENEMIES WERE BURNT!
SFX: RUMBLE RUMBLE RUMBLE
ゴゴゴゴゴ
PRINCESS! IN GENERAL DOUMA'S AREA, TOO!
COULD IT BE...

THE SKY!
LOOK AT THE SKY, GAIS!
SFX SHINE
THAT'S ...
A DRAGON?!
SFX WHOOOOOOSH

OHHHH
THAT'S RIGHT! URU'S COME FOR US!
Dragons do not break their word.
SFX SHIMING
SFX THUMP
Fya!

AH——
.....?
URAN-BORG...?
SFX: CHUCKLE

murmur
I'LL DO IT!
SOME-ONE SEE TO HIM
HIS COLLAR-BONE IS BROKEN
HEY, GAIS.
SFX: FLINCH
HE'S A DRAGON WHO KEPT THE PLEDGE AND APPEARED LIKE THIS WHEN ARK WAS IN TROUBLE, SO IT MUST BE HIM, BUT...
IS THAT URU?
HE'S GROWN QUITE A BIT
MM——
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
SFX: OFENS

YOU'RE NOT URAN-BORG.
EHHH?! HE HELPED US BUT HE'S NOT URU?!
IN THAT CASE, JUST WHO ARE YOU?
I'M ALFAAD.
AMONGST MY BRETHREN, I'M ALSO CALLED THE LIGHTNING FANG KING

SFX: STANDS UP
KING?! THE CURRENT KING OF BEASTS SHOULD BE URANBORG!
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN TO HIM?
NO, I'M ONE OF THAT CHILD'S ANCESTORS.
I AM A KING OF BEASTS WHO, IN THE PAST, CAME TO THE WORLD OF YANG FOR THE SAKE OF THE PLEDGE.
JUST BEFORE I CAME HERE, I WAS DEALING WITH A TROUBLESOME ARGUMENT IN THE YIN WORLD,
AND DIDN'T HAVE TIME TO DISPEL THE POSSESSION MAGIC
THAT'S
I THANK YOU FOR HELPING US OUT OF A DANGEROUS SITUATION
GETTING HERE IN TIME WAS MY BIGGEST CONCERN
I AM HAPPY THAT I COULD SAVE THE ONE WHO IS PLEDGED TO MY DESCENDANT.
SFX: TOUCH
I WILL PROTECT YOU UNTIL WE ARRIVE AT A SAFE PLACE WHERE I CAN CHANGE PLACES WITH HIM.

A DRAGON KING WHO CAME TO THE WORLD OF YANG...
LIGHT-NING FANG KING.
COULD IT BE THAT YOU ARE THE ONE WITH CONNECTIONS TO THE KING OF LIGHT, CARLISLE?
YES...
Chuckle
WHEN HE WAS STILL SMALL, CARL CALLED ME ALF
IT IS UNFOR-TUNATE
THAT I COULDN'T LIVE TO SEE HIM ASCEND TO THE THRONE.
A thousand years ago, the reigning King of Beasts and the Holy Queen...
divided the world into two, the yin and yang worlds
to ensure stability and remedy the strain that was bringing a great disaster unto the world

The essences of the two worlds counterbalanced one another and created stability.
SFX: OHHHHH
But the humans, who did not know the structure of the world,
decreased their population through conflict and drove the balance of essences out of order.
In order to save the world, a dragon would let essence accumulate in its body and release it in the yang world.
Through such a large amount of essence, the balance could be restored and served as the fastest solution.
The Kings of Beasts came to the world of yang to save the world through their own deaths.

How many times has this world sacrificed dragons?
YOU'RE ANOTHER DRAGON KING WHO BECAME A SACRIFICE TO THE GREAT UPRISINGS...
THE KING OF BEASTS FROM THAT TIME ALSO TOLD ME THAT I LOOKED LIKE HER
BUT IT DOESN'T REALLY MAKE ME THAT HAPPY NOW.
I'VE HEARD THAT THE KING OF LIGHT SPENT HIS WHOLE LIFE SINGLE.
WHAT A CHARMING PRINCESS.
SFX HOO?
IT SEEMS LIKE THE HOLY QUEEN NADIA'S BLOOD RUNS RATHER STRONG IN YOU

IF I HAD HIS BLOOD,
IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN OF SOME CONSOLATION TO YOU...
SFX KISS
SUCH A KIND-HEARTED AND GALLANT PRINCESS
EVEN IF YOU DON'T HAVE CARL'S BLOOD...
I'M VERY HAPPY THAT I WAS ABLE TO MEET YOU
WHO BEARS THE SAME HEART AS THE HOLY QUEEN NADIA.

Holy Unifying Army Head-quarters
YO, ARK!
GOOD WORK WITH THE REAR UNIT GUARD, DOUMA
TELL ME ABOUT IT. WE HAD TO HAVE THE DRAGON KING HELP US
WE ALMOST GOT TO THE POINT WHERE WE'D NEVER SEE EACH OTHER AGAIN...
NOW THAT WE'RE BACK, WE HAVE TO BUILD UP OUR INTELLIGENCE NETWORK FROM THE GROUND UP AGAIN
YEAH... MAKING TOCHIGIKEN OF THE DOUMEI KINGDOM BETRAYS US
MUST MEAN THAT TOUKYOUTO IS ALSO IN A HURRY
BECAUSE THEY THINK THAT WE'LL BE TROUBLE IF THEY DON'T FINISH FIGHTING US NOW...

YOU WANT TO MEET UP WITH URU-BOY SOON, DON'T YOU?
THAT'S TRUE. I GUESS WE COULD BE FORGIVEN IF WE THINK THAT MUCH OF OUR-SELVES.
HAHA
HEY, ARK...
NOW THAT WE'VE COME THIS FAR, WE'LL BE ALL RIGHT BY OURSELVES.
HOW ABOUT GETTING HIS MA JESTY, THE LIGHT-NING FANG KING,
TO RETURN TO THAT WORLD, AND GIVE BACK URU-BOY'S BODY?
IT'S ALL RIGHT... HE DOESN'T HAVE TO HURRY.
CLAUDIA'S GOT ATTACHED TO HIM, TOO, SO HE SHOULDN'T HAVE TO DISPEL THE POSSES-SION MAGIC WITHOUT REASON.
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING'?! JUST TELL HIM WHAT YOU WANT!

WHAT THE HECK?
IT'S JUST THAT I'M ENJOYING THE WAIT AS WELL.
SFX CHUCKLE
THE EFFECTS OF THE POSSESSION MAGIC LAST FOR A MAXIMUM OF TEN DAYS.
THE EXCITEMENT OF THINKING THAT I'LL DEFINITELY SEE URU IF I WAIT TEN DAYS
IF WE WERE SUDDENLY REUNITED, I WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO EXPERIENCE THAT.
.....
OF COURSE, I WANT TO SEE HIM SOON.

SOMEHOW, I FEEL LIKE YOU'VE JUST MADE ME HEAR SOMETHING REALLY AFFECTIONATE
IT'S FINE, ISN'T IT? IT'S ONLY ONCE IN A WHILE
BUT THE HAPPINESS OF GETTING CLOSER TO HIM EVERY DAY...
BUT YOU DON'T MEAN TO MAKE ME LISTEN TO TWO YEARS' WORTH OF IT, DO YOU ?
YOU'RE ALWAYS DOING THAT IN FRONT OF ME, REMEMBER?
UNLIKE YOU, WHO GET TO SEE DIA EVERY DAY, IT'S BEEN TWO YEARS FOR ME
IS SURELY A PART OF THE DELIGHT OF REUNION
IT'S NO LAUGHING MATTER IF URU HAD TO USE POSSESSION MAGIC TO DEAL WITH SUCH TROUBLE
DID YOU ASK IF SOMETHING HAPPENED IN THE YIN WORLD?
BY THE WAY,
Let me go.

SEEMS LIKE IT WAS A CONFLICT OVER THE THRONE.
BECAUSE URANBORG, WHO WAS ORIGINALLY SUPPOSED TO HAVE DIED HERE, RETURNED TO THE YIN WORLD,
THE DRAGON WHO FOUGHT WITH HIM OVER THE THRONE CLAIMED THAT URU'S RULE SHOULD BE REVOKED
WHAT'S MORE, IT SEEMS THAT THERE WERE DRAGONS WHO AGREED WITH HIM.
DIVIDED INTO TWO FACTIONS, THE DRAGONS HAVE BEEN FIGHTING IT OUT FOR TWO YEARS.
THEIR SETTLING IT ONE-ON-ONE MEANS THAT IT WAS REALLY ON THE VERGE OF COMING HERE

WHAT THE?!
YOU MEAN, BECAUSE URLI'S A KING WHO WAS MEANT TO DIE IN THE YANG WORLD,
THEY DIDN'T ACKNOWLEDGE HIM AS KING WHEN HE RETURNED ALIVE?
URLI WAS STILL A KID OF FOURTEEN OR FIFTEEN. .!
SENDING A RUNT LIKE THAT JUST TO LET HIM DIE,
AND THEN GETTING ALL ANGRY
BECAUSE HE MESSED UP THEIR PLANS TO BECOME KING AFTER-WARDS!?

IF YOU HAVE TO LISTEN TO THE EXCUSES OF SUCH BEINGS,
THEY'RE THE LOWEST SCUMBAGS EVER!
THEN DRAGONS ARE OF NO GOOD WHAT-SOEVER!
HE WON IN THE REMATCH OF THE ONE-ON-ONE COMBAT,
IT'S NO USE YOUR GETTING ANGRY HERE.
SO URU IS KING NOW, WITHOUT HEARSAY.
URU WAS ABOUT TO DIE FOR THE LIKES OF THEM!
IF THOSE DRAGONS CHANGED INTO HUMANS AND STOOD BEFORE MY EYES,
THAT'S TRUE
CAN'T THEY GET THAT INTO THEIR HEADS?
Chuckle
I'D WANT TO CUT THEM INTO PIECES AND KICK THEIR SEVERED HEADS AROUND. THAT'S HOW ANGRY I AM.

Runs
DOLIMA!
AS CAN BE EXPECTED ONLY FROM THE GRANDSON OF THE SORCERER KING DANTALION, WHO WOULD TAKE HIS REVENGE ON THE WHOLE WORLD
MAN, OH MAN.
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO ASKED MY OPINION.
THANKS FOR ALL YOUR WORK!
HEY, CLAUDIA! I HEARD YOU'VE GOT ATTACHED TO THE LIGHTNING FANG KING,
BUT HE'S NOT HERE FOR YOU, YOU KNOW!
WHAT THE? ARE YOU JEALOUS OF THE LIGHTNING FANG KING?
How shame-less!
I ENJOYED MYSELF AS WELL SINCE THE CHARMING PRINCESS WAS WITH ME.

NO WAY!
WE MIGHT NEVER SEE YOU AGAIN!
IT LOOKS LIKE YOU'VE MADE IT BACK TO A SAFE PLACE.
I WANT TO RETURN THIS BODY TO ITS RIGHTFUL OWNER.
YOU'LL BE FINE EVEN IF I'M GONE, WON'T YOU?
murmur
THAT WAY, THE SOLDIERS WILL ALSO BE REASSURED AND HAPPY.
SO WHILE TIME ALLOWS MIGHT WE ASK YOU TO ACCOMPANY OUR ARMY?
THAT'S WHAT SHE SAID,
TO STAY IN THE YANG WORLD FOR A LONG TIME WOULD BE TO DESTROY THE BALANCE OF THE WORLDS
I AM A TEMPORARY VISITOR TO THIS WORLD.
THAT WOULD NOT BE DESIR-ABLE.

I...
I AM SATISFIED HAVING CONFIRMED THAT CARL...
SAFELY BECAME KING OF A UNIFIED COUNTRY AND LIVED HAPPILY...
...?

ARK?
HAPPILY?
SFX BOOM
SFX SHINES
PRINCESS, DESCENDANT OF THE HOLY QUEEN,
I THANK YOU FOR GRANTING ME SOME PEACE IN SUCH A BRIEF TIME.
PLEASE CONVEY MY GRATITUDE TO THE CURRENT DRAGON KING.

SFX: BOOM!
FAREWELL!
ALFAD!
SFX: WHOOOSH

SFX: SHINE
STAGGER
IT LOOKS LIKE HIS MAJESTY, THE CURRENT KING OF BEASTS, HAS GROWN A BIT SINCE THEN.
YOU'RE RIGHT ABOUT THAT. HE LOOKED AROUND FOURTEEN, FIFTEEN BACK THEN, BUT NOW
I GUESS HE'S AROUND SIXTEEN, SEVENTEEN? WEREN'T DRAGONS SUPPOSED TO AGE SLOWLY?

Grow old with me.
SFX SQUEEZE
You kept your vow.
Uru.

OH, I KNEW IT...
YOU THINK IT'S ALMOST TIME?
GEEZ, HE'S TAKING HIS TIME.
AND THE PRINCESS IS EAGERLY WAITING FOR HIM, TOO.
YES WE'RE ALL WAITING IMPA-TIENTLY.
IT'S BEEN A FULL THREE DAYS AFTER ALL.
TO BEGIN WITH, YOU DIDN'T WANT THE LIGHTNING FANG KING TO GO BACK AND WERE BEING DIFFICULT TILL THE END
I MEAN URU-BOY'S PRECIOUS PRINCESS, ARKANJEL.
IDIOT. I'M NOT TALKING ABOUT YOU
REALLY, JEALOUS AGAIN?

BECAUSE HE...
WAS ALWAYS LOOKING SOMEWHERE FAR OFF WITH SAD EYES
HE LOOKED LIKE URU, AND HAD THE SAME BLACK EYES, BUT.
THEY'RE COMPLETELY DIFFERENT.
THIS IS THE WORLD HE GAVE HIS LIFE TO PROTECT,
BUT HIS IMPORTANT PERSON IS DIED AND NO LONGER HERE.
IT DIDN'T FEEL QUITE RIGHT TO CALL THE KING OF LIGHT HIS FATED LOVER,
BUT THAT PERSON WAS CERTAINLY VERY IMPORTANT TO HIM

IT WAS ONLY WHEN HE SPOKE OF THE YOUNG CARLISLE DID HE LOOK HAPPY
JUST LISTENING TO HIM MADE ME HAPPY AS WELL.
SFX DROP
OH, MY! I'M SORRY!
I KNOW THERE'S NOTHING ANYONE CAN DO ABOUT IT
SPEAKING OF WHICH, WHERE DID ARK GO AT A TIME LIKE THIS?
HE WENT TO SEE OFF THE EXPRESS MESSENGER SENT FROM KOHSO MOUNTAIN
A SERVANT OF THE KOHSO MOUNTAIN HAG, HUH...
ARK IS TOO CAUTIOUS THAT'S WHY HE'LL USE THEM
DO-DOUMA!

YOU MUSTN'T SPEAK ILL OF THE SECOND QUEEN OF THE LATE KING OF KANAGAWA, QUEEN MARI-ABELLA
SHE'S AN IMPORTANT PERSON AMONG THE FEW SUP-PORTERS OF ARK'S AND OUR HOLY UNIFICA-TION ARMY
WELL, ARK THINKS WE CAN USE THAT HAG AND IS LOOKING AFTER IT, BUT...

I REALLY HATE THAT HAG.
Kya!
SFX OPENS

IT-IT LOOKS LIKE HE'S AWAKE
OH! SO YOU'RE FINALLY AWAKE, HUH, BOY?
IT'S BEEN A WHILE

HOW ARE YOU FEELING?
IT'S ONLY BEEN TWO YEARS, BUT YOU'VE GOT QUITE THE PRESENCE, MY FRIEND.
YOUR SUB-ORDINATES MUST BE HAPPY TO BE FOLLOWING YOU.
YOU GOT THAT RIGHT! I AM A GENERAL NOW, AFTER ALL!
AH, WELL. YOU'RE JUST FLATTERING ME NOW, AREN'T YOU?
MUR MUR MUR

SFX STARE
YOU'VE BECOME BEAUTIFUL.
EH?!
M-ME?!
I'VE HEARD THAT WOMEN CHANGE AT A CERTAIN AGE,
BUT YOU'VE CHANGED A LOT.
OH, URU, REALLY!
OH, MY! EVEN IF YOU REGRET IT NOW, YOU'RE MUCH TOO LATE!

I SEE THAT'S WONDER-FUL.
I GOT FATHER'S BLESSING AND AM ENGAGED TO DOUMA!
U-URU!
C-CALM DOWN. THERE'S NO WAY TO RE-DO THINGS AT THIS POINT.
I MIGHT HAVE MADE THE PLEDGE TO YOU AND NOT ARKANJEL.
IF I HAD MET YOU FIRST...
I GOT IT, I GOT IT. I'LL CHERISH AND TAKE CARE OF HER.
IN OTHER WORDS, YOUR FIANCEE IS
THE IDEAL PARTNER, WHO COULD HAVE BEEN PLEDGED TO THE DRAGON KING.
Chuchi

IT'S A GOOD THING YOU DIDN'T MEET HER FIRST
Chuckle
IF ARK WERE THE ONE LEFT OVER, HE PROBABLY WOULDN'T HAVE BECOME MY IDEAL PARTNER.
WHO IS WH IT NOW?
SFX OPEN'S
SFX DASH
ARKANJEL!

Uranbor....
SFX TUG
ケイ...
?!
DEAR ME....
OHHHH, BOY.
Kya!
URU.

I didn't know if I would ever see you again.
Even if something had happened to you, there would've been no way for me to see you
Thinking, "If I were going to be this sad and lonely,
it would have been better if we had never met"... I only regretted things.
SFX SQUEEZE
But...
A happiness that erases everything...
is answering every doubt...

Right now, I'm here.
HUH? ARK...
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO PULL AWAY?
HE'S LIKE "THIS" WITH ARK
WITH ME, HE TALKS LIKE IT'S NOTHING SPECIAL.
REALLY. HE DOESN'T CHERISH ME AT ALL.
HEY! IT'S BEEN A WHILE, SO WE'VE KEPT QUIET,
BUT HOW LONG ARE YOU GOING TO CLING TO ARK, YOU EXPERI-ENCED BRAT?!

IT'S BECAUSE THAT GUY TOUCHED ARKANJEL BEFORE I DID.
YOU'RE REALLY A BRAT, HUH
OH, MY! URU, TOUCHING IS THE SAME AS A KISS TO YOU?
TOUCHED YOU MEAN THE LIGHTNING FANG KING?
Uru...
Welcome home.
Story9 END

RAWR
Why won't you release the next chapter?!
Can I help you?
What can I do to help?
Fan Girl
It's not like YOU helped out any...
We don't have enough translators or editors
Cross-eyed attempt
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Damn it Ark! knewdle couldn't tell your gender XD
~craxx

Story10

PFWAH!
WE CAN DRINK DELICIOUS SAKE LIKE THIS ALL THANKS TO THE KING OF THE MYTHICAL BEASTS!
TO OUR REUNION WITH URU!
CHEERS!
KA-SHI
SHE CLINK
WHO WOULD HAVE THOUGHT WE WOULD WIN AGAINST THE TOUKYOU ARMY LIKE THAT!
NOW WE CAN GO HOME WITH OUR NOSES HIGH UP IN THE AIR!

Hello good afternoon. I'm Katou Eriko
Thank you for taking into your hands volume 3 of "Yasashii Ryuu no Koroshikata"

The first part of the manga ended and the story picks up twoyears later. Personally I cried a lot when Uru went back to his own world in the second volume of the novel.

And I was really happy when he returned to Arkanjel in the beginning of the third volume of the novels.

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HEY, LIRU, THE HEROES OF THE ARMY WILL BE INTRODUCED THIS EVENING.
INDEFINITELY, AS LONG AS THERE IS NOTHING TO SWAY MY BALANCE
AND MAKE ME LOSE MY HUMAN SHAPE. HOWEVER...
HOW LONG CAN YOU STAY HERE?
ONE DRAGON HAS DIED IN OUR WORLD,
SO UNTIL A BABY IS BORN TO REPLACE HIM, THE ENERGY FROM THE HUMAN WORLD WILL BE IN EXCESS
DIED...? THE DRAGON WHO FOUGHT WITH RAIGAOU?
YES

IF THESE CIRCUMSTANCES CONTINUE ANY LONGER, THE BALANCE OF THE YIN AND YANG WORLDS WILL BE DESTROYED,
AND AS OPPOSED TO TWO YEARS AGO, THE HUMAN WORLD WILL BE DRAWN INTO THAT OF THE MYTHICAL BEASTS.
I CANNOT STAY LONG.
THIS TIME AS WELL,
NOW THAT THE THREAT TO ARKANJEL'S LIFE IS GONE,
I WILL HAVE TO RETURN IMMEDIATELY.

ARK IS URU'S FATED LOVER, RIGHT?!
STOP IT. THE ONES HURT THE MOST BY THIS ARE URU AND ARK.
WAIT! WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?!
THINK ABOUT ARK'S FEELINGS A BIT, WILL YOU?!
CLENCH
BUT... YOU'VE WAITED TWO YEARS
URU AND ARK, YOU'VE SACRIFICED YOUR OWN LIVES, PROTECTED THE WORLDS,
AND NOW THAT YOU CAN FINALLY COMMUNICATE YOUR FEELINGS TO ONE ANOTHER, YOU'RE GOING TO BE SEPARATED—
...I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU HAVE TO GO BACK TO THE YIN WORLD SO SOON.
URU.

I AM DEEPLY ADMIRE THE KING OF BEASTS' SPIRIT,
WHICH THINKS OF THE WORLDS' BALANCE,
BUT IF THERE IS ANY POSSIBILITY OF A SHORT STAY, FOR ARK'S SAKE,
COULD WE ASK YOU TO MEET WITH QUEEN MARIABELLA, WHO LIVES IN THE STRONGHOLD OF KOUSOYAMA?
WHO IS THAT?
SHE IS THE SECOND QUEEN OF THE LATE KING OF KANAGAWA,
ARK'S FATHER, AND THE PERSON WHO CAN PROVE THAT ARK IS TRULY THE KING'S ILLEGITIMATE CHILD.
ASIDE FROM THAT, SHE IS A MAGICIAN OF MASTER CLASS..
I UNDERSTAND

YOU WANT TO SHOW THAT WOMAN THAT THE KING OF BEASTS IS REAL.
AND LET HER KNOW THAT I BACK ARKANJEL.
THAT IS EXACTLY RIGHT.
THAT'S A GREAT IDEA!
IT'D BE BEST TO SHOW THAT SKEPTIC OF A HAG THE REAL THING!
AND THERE'S NEVER AN END TO THE GUYS WHO FIND ALL SORTS OF FAULTS WITH THE SWORD OF PLEDGE, EITHER.
DID SOMETHING BAD HAPPEN WITH THE SWORD I GAVE?!
YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT IT...
ALL SORTS OF THINGS HAPPENED, YOU KNOW?!
Sigh

A LOT OF ROYAL FAMILIES FROM VARIOUS COUNTRIES TOLD US TO RETURN THE SWORD OF PLEDGE TO THEM.
THEY WERE PRACTICALLY CALLING US ROBBERS!
IT'S BECAUSE EVERY ROYAL HOUSE CLAIMS THAT THEY ARE THE LEGITIMATE SUCCESSOR TO THE HOLY QUEEN,
AND HAS SIMPLY MADE ITS OWN SWORD.
Well...
THERE ISN'T ANYONE WHO CAN EVEN LIFT THE SWORD, EXCEPT THE PLEDGED ONE...
THAT'S RIGHT! BUT GRANNY BELLA STILL DOUBTS US, SAYING THAT BECAUSE SINCE ARK CAN USE ANCIENT MAGIC,
HE MIGHT HAVE CAST A SPELL ON THE SWORD SO THAT ONLY HE CAN USE IT!
BUT IT'LL ALL BE CLEARED UP WITH THIS!
LIRU! SHOCK THE BLOOMERS OFF, THAT GRANNY!
P2 PRINCESS! YOU MUSTN'T SAY SUCH A THING!
WELL, SHE'S ALWAYS CALLING ME A SCRAWNY, RED-HAIRED LITTLE GIRL BEHIND MY BACK!
!?
Huh...?

BY THE WAY, LIRU-BOY,
I HEARD YOU'VE BEEN FIGHTING IN THE DISPUTES OVER THE DRAGON KING BACK IN THE REALM OF THE BEASTS.
YEAH...
YOU'VE FINALLY MADE IT BACK, BUT IT MUST HAVE BEEN SO HARD...
WHAT MATTERS IS THAT YOU DIDN'T DIE.
THE DRAGONS DON'T KNOW HOW MUCH THEY OWE YOU,
THE ONE WHO WENT TO THE HUMAN REALM PREPARED TO THROW HIS LIFE AWAY FOR BOTH.
YOU'VE REALLY DONE WELL! JUST AS THE ANCIENT PLEDGE SAID.
YOU SAVED THE DESCENDANTS OF THE HOLY QUEEN FROM DISASTER
WE KNOW THAT ALL TOO WELL!

SFX FUH
BUT PLEASE, DON'T MISUNDERSTAND
IT'S NOT AS IF ALL THE DRAGONS OPPOSED TO MY BECOMING KING!
I'M PROUD OF THEM
BUT HEARING THESE WORDS FROM YOU IS A GREAT HONOUR.
THE KING OF THE MYTHICAL BEASTS IS IRREPLACEABLE AND I DON'T WISH FOR THIS TO HAPPEN,
IT'S JUST THAT THAT PERVERT WANTED TO HAVE ME AS PET,
SO THE POSITION OF KING WAS AN OBSTACLE IN HIS WAY

PERVERT?! WHAT DO YOU
IN OTHER WORDS, WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO SAY?
THAT'S THE GUY WHO FOUGHT FOR THE THRONE FOR YOU WANTS TO DO YOU—
DOUMA!!!
SPEAKING OF BEING A PET TO PERVERTS, WELL,
URU, WHEN YOUR MATING SEASON COMES, EVEN YOU WILL WANT TO GET IT ON WITH ARK—
DOUMA!!!
SFX GLARE
DON'T MAKE FUN OF DRAGONS' MATING SEASON
UNLIKE HUMANS, WHO ARE IN RUT 24/7, FOR DRAGONS THAT'S AN IMPORTANT TIME TO INCREASE OUR NUMBERS
I WILL NOT LET ANYONE MAKE FUN OF THIS.

I WOULD DIE BEFORE I HURT ARKANJEL.
YOU'RE KIDDING, RIGHT? EVEN IF IT'S ARK, THERE'S NO WAY YOU...
WELL—
I COULD NEVER DO ANYTHING THAT ARKANJEL DID NOT DESIRE.
SSHAA
raise
EVEN IF ARKANJEL HIMSELF DID NOTHING A HAND IN IT,
A DRAGON WHO VIOLATES THE PLEDGE
WILL HAVE HIS WHOLE BODY TORN APART BY HIS OWN POWER AND DIE.
SFX CLATTER
WHA... WHAT DID YOU SAY?!
WHAT?!

THE BLOOD OF THE BEASTS IS THE SOURCE OF MAGICAL POWER.
WITH DRAGONS, THEY CANNOT ESCAPE THE CURSE OF THE BLOOD COURSING THROUGHOUT THEIR BODIES
THEN...
AT THAT SUNKEN ANCIENT PALACE...
WHEN YOUR ESSENCE WAS UNBALANCED, AND YOU HAD RETURNED TO YOUR REAL BODY, IF YOU HAD HURT ME...

A THOUSAND YEARS AGO, THE PLEDGE BETWEEN THE KING OF BEASTS IN THOSE DAYS AND THE HOLY QUEEN
WAS RESTRICTED TO HIS DESCENDANTS THROUGH POWERFUL MAGIC
A DRAGON LOOKING TO REVOKE THE PLEDGE WOULD NEED MAGICAL POWERS EXCEEDING THOSE OF THAT KING
BUT FOR THE DESCENDANTS OF THE HOLY QUEEN, REVOKING THE KING OF BEASTS' PLEDGE IS EASY
SFX SHING
THEN YOU—

I will protect you, Arkan-jel.
THAT'S WHY..
I will protect you from all harm, Arkan-jel.
I swear it on my blood and honour.
Is that why he swore never to harm me back then...?
OF COURSE, MY TRUE FEELINGS WERE INVOLVED AS WELL
Uru...
THE TWO KINGS OF BEASTS WHO PERISHED IN THE HUMAN WORLD PROBABLY MADE THEIR PLEDGES THE SAME WAY

THEY WOULD GO SO FAR, BUT WHAT IS IT ABOUT HUMANS THAT IS WORTH PROTECTING?!
THE DRAGONS ARE FOOLISH!
SFX: FWISH
I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT EITHER WAY, I WAS ABOUT TO LOSE YOU—
CLENCH
DO YOU THINK ANYONE WANTS TO SEE YOUR BODY BEING TORN APART FOR MY SAKE...?!

shhooo
...YOU'RE RIGHT.
squeeze
DRAGONS ARE FOOLISH CREATURES.
THEY DO NOT BEGRUDGE DYING FOR THEIR LOVED ONES.

DON'T SAY SUCH SELFISH THINGS!
WHAT ABOUT THE FEELINGS OF THOSE LEFT BEHIND?!
YOU'RE ABSOLUTELY RIGHT.
YOU'RE THE ABSOLUTE WORST, YOU KNOW THAT?
Squeeze...
YEAH. THAT'S WHAT I THINK.
YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'RE PACIFYING A CHILD, URU.
I CAN'T TELL WHO THE OLDER ONE IS.
REALLY... WE STRAYED OFF TOPIC ALL BECAUSE OF DOUMA.

SAY, URU, THAT WEIRDO WHO FOUGHT YOU FOR THE THRONE—
ABOUT HIM EATING YOU, DO DRAGONS EAT EACH OTHER?
WE USUALLY DON'T. THAT'S WHY HE WAS A WEIRDO.
UWAH, YOU MEAN HE THOUGHT YOU LOOKED TASTY SOMEHOW?
IF A DRAGON EATS HIS OPPONENT WHILE HE IS STILL ALIVE, HE CAN ABSORB HIS ABILITIES.
HE WILL BECOME A DRAGON THAT POSSESSES THE ABILITIES OF THE TWO
THERE WAS A GROUP THAT THOUGHT TO CREATE A DRAGON WHOSE ABILITIES WOULD BE CLOSE TO THOSE OF THE DRAGON OF ANCIENT TIMES,
THE FOUNDER OF THE DRAGON CLAN, BY COMBINING HIS ABILITIES AND MINE
NO WAY!
CANNIBALISM IS AN ABNORMAL ACT, RIGHT?
BUT HE STILL MIGHT HAVE BECOME A KING?

...THE EISHENT DRAGON, HUH?
YOU ARE LIKE THE EISHENT DRAGON,
WITH THE ABILITY TO GO BACK IN TIME AND MAKE PRACTICAL USE OF IT THROUGH POSSESSION MAGIC, BUT...
DOES THAT MEAN YOU AND THE DRAGON WHO FOUGHT FOR THE THRONE HAD THE SAME ABILITY?
NO...
I AM THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN USE POS-SESSION MAGIC.
THE GROUP THAT BACKED HIM WAS VERY PARTICULAR
ABOUT THE FACT THAT HE, LIKE THE EISHENT DRAGON WAS AN EXTREMELY RARE SILVER-WHITE DRAGON
WHAT THE HECK?!
SO HE JUST RESEMBLED THE EISHENT DRAGON ON THE OUTSIDE?
That's so stupid!

TO GO SO FAR AS CANNIBALISM...
IS THERE ANYTHING GOOD IN BECOMING THE REPLICA OF THE ANCIENT DRAGON?
THE DRAGONS ARE LOOKING FOR A WAY TO MIGRATE TO ANOTHER WORLD.
THE BISHENT DRAGON CAME HERE FROM A DIFFERENT WORLD.
IN OTHER WORDS, HE HAD THAT KIND OF ABILITY.
THE REVIVAL OF THE BISHENT DRAGON IS THE ONLY HOPE FOR THE RACE OF DRAGONS.
TO ESCAPE THIS WORLD OF DESPAIR. DRAGONS ARE PROUD.
MANY OF THEM DO NOT LOOK FAVOURABLY UPON THE PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES,
WHICH THEY SEE AS EQUAL TO HAVING THEIR FATES MOLDED BY HUMANS.
I SEE... THINGS ARE DIFFICULT IN THE WORLD OF THE BEASTS AS WELL.

WELL, IN ANY CASE,
THAT WEIRDO BASTARD HAS BEEN DONE AWAY WITH, AND URU'S THRONE HAS BEEN SECURED.
THE WORLD OF THE BEASTS WILL PROBABLY QUIET DOWN, TOO.
WE NEED TO HURRY UP AND UNIFY THE DOMAIN,
SO THAT THE HUMAN WORLD WON'T TROUBLE THAT OF THE BEASTS.
WELL, IT'S ALMOST DINNERTIME!
WHILE WE EAT, LET'S TALK ABOUT THIS
I'LL LET YOU HEAR ABOUT HOW, IN THESE TWO YEARS, WE FOUGHT AND BUILT UP THE HOLY UNIFICATION ARMY TO WHAT IT IS NOW,
AND ABOUT THE HEAPS OF LEGENDS OF BRAVERY AND MILITARY SKILL ABOUT THE GREAT ME!
WELL! ACTING ALL HIGH AND MIGHTY, AREN'T WE?!

SFX KOOOAAARRR
Fukushimaken, Kohsoyama Holy Unification Army Base
?!
SFX FLAP
SFX FWOOOOSH
KYAAAAA?!
WHA... WHAT?! THAT'S...!
UWAAAHH!

DO NOT PANIC, HUMANS.
MURMUR
I AM A DRAGON AMONG DRAGONS.
THE KING OF DRAGONS AND OF ALL MYTHICAL BEASTS
SFX SHUUNGG
SFX WHOOOOO
I HAVE SWORN TO PROTECT ARKANJEL,
AND HAVE COME FROM THE DISTANT WORLD OF BEASTS TO THE HUMAN WORLD.

Waaah!!!
Waaah!!!
I TELL YOU, PEOPLE OF THE ROYAL PALACE,
GATHER QUICKLY IN THE COURT-YARD,
AND WELCOME THE RETURN OF YOUR COMMANDER REJOICE IN HIS SAFETY.
SFX WHOOOOO
OFFER PRAYERS OF GRATITUDE TO THE FOUR ALMIGHTY GODS.
SFX FWOOM
SFX FWAP
SFX SHING

WHAT A SPEECH
IT'S BETTER TO BE FLASHY FROM HERE, RIGHT?
T—MP
YOU'RE NOT WRONG ABOUT THAT. IT'S PERFECT.
QUEEN MARIA-BELLA AND THE OTHERS WON'T BE ABLE TO FIND FAULT WITH THIS

QUEEN MARIA-BELLA, I HAVE RETURNED.
I AM GLAD YOU ARE SAFE, LORD ARKANJEL

THE OTHER DAY, WHEN I RECEIVED WORD FROM THE MESSENGER I HAD SENT,
I HAD PREPARED A FITTING WELCOME
AND WHAT AN UNUSUALLY NOBLE GUEST YOU HAVE WITH YOU.
SHOULD THE KING OF THE YIN WORLD THINK HUMANS DISCOURTEOUS,
IT WOULD BE A DISGRACE I COULD NEVER RECOVER FROM
smile
skff
HIS HIGHNESS SAVED OUR ARMY FROM AN EXCEEDINGLY DANGEROUS SITUATION
THIS IS THE KING OF BEASTS.

I AM HONOURED TO MAKE YOUR ACQUAINTANCE.
AS YOU CAN SEE, I AM A NOVICE WHO ONLY RECENTLY ASCENDED TO THE THRONE.
SO AS MUCH AS IT PAINS ME, MY CHARACTER IS NOT YET BEFITTING MY POSITION.
KISS
smile
MY BEAUTIFUL LADY.
SO PLEASE DO NOT TROUBLE YOURSELF SO MUCH OVER ME.
WELL! I AM MOST HUMBLED!
IT IS I WHO FEELS UNEXPECTEDLY HAPPY,
HAVING MADE THE ACQUAINTANCE OF SUCH A YOUNG AND HANDSOME KING OF BEASTS

THIS CASTLE IS A TEMPORARY RESIDENCE, SO IT CANNOT OFFER MUCH,
BUT PLEASE DO RELAX AND FEEL AT HOME
QUEEN MARIABELLA, WE WOULD LIKE TO CHANGE AND REST FOR A BIT
BEFORE GENERAL DOUMA AND THE OTHERS ARRIVE.
OH MY...
HOW RUDE OF ME
I WAS SO EXCITED OVER OUR RARE GUEST... HOW EMBARRASSING.
WELL... UNTIL THEN,
FAREWELL, DEAREST KING.
hee hee...

KYAAAA!
FAREWELL, MY BEAUTIFUL LADY.
CLICK...
ARE YOU
REALLY URANBORG?

THE ONE I LOVED WOULD DIE BEFORE HE CALLED A WOMAN "MY BEAUTIFUL LADY,"
SWISH
SWISH
OR SAID SUCH FLATTERY THAT WOULD SET YOUR TEETH ON EDGE!
WELL, YES...
SWISH
TWO YEARS AGO, YOU WERE ALWAYS SO SILENT.
HOW COULD YOU HAVE CHANGED SO MUCH?!

BEFORE, I
THOUGHT THAT TALKING A LOT WAS MEANINGLESS.
EVERYTHING WAS FINE SO LONG AS I STUCK TO THE PLAN IN MY OWN WAY.
THAT'S HOW I OVERCAME EVERYTHING ON MY OWN
BUT TWO YEARS AGO,
WHEN I TRAVELED WITH YOU AND THE OTHERS—

I LEARNED THAT SOME THINGS CANNOT BE DONE ALONE,
AS WELL AS THE HAPPINESS AND SIGNIFICANCE OF ACCOMPLISHING SOMETHING WITH COMRADES
THE CONSEQUENCES ARE TOO BIG SHOULD THE KING'S WORDS BE INTERPRETED WRONGLY
THERE ARE MANY WHO WOULD TWIST HIS WORDS AROUND TO SUIT THEIR CONVENIENCE.
SO, I MUST TALK A LOT, AS EXACTLY AS I CAN, SO THAT MY WORDS WILL NOT BE TWISTED AROUND.
EVEN I THINK THAT JUDGING AND SAYING WHAT YOUR OPPONENT WANTS TO HEAR
IS DISHONEST AND A FORM OF SWINDLING, BUT...
CREAK
REALLY.
EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOUR WORDS HURTS MY EARS.

shhh
I'M NOT CRITICIZING YOU, URKANJEL.
I KNOW YOU'RE MUCH TOO KIND AND TOLERANT.
squeeze
I'M THE PATHETIC ONE FOR TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THAT.
THIS IS HOW I AM AFTER HAVING MET YOU.
I'M JUST A TWO-YEAR-OLD INFANT.
.. THAT'S WHY I'M ALWAYS UNBEARABLY INSECURE.

THERE ARE SO MANY THINGS I DON'T KNOW, BUT TIME WAITS FOR NO ONE
ARE THE THINGS I'M 'BOUT TO DO REALLY GOOD ENOUGH?
ARE THE DECISIONS I'VE MADE THE RIGHT ONES?
ELENAH
I'VE WISHED MANY TIMES THAT YOU WERE BY MY SIDE
I NEED YOU.
...I'M SORRY
I MADE YOU LISTEN TO MY USELESS COMPLAINTS
YOU'VE ORGANIZED AN ARMY IN ONLY TWO YEARS. IT'S OK TO CONGRATULATE YOURSELF, ARKANJEL

EVEN IF IT MEANT BEING LOST OR SUFFERING,
I DIDN'T WANT TO LIVE A LIFE THAT WOULD GIVE ME REASON TO BE TOO ASHAMED TO FACE YOU AT OUR REUNION.
THE KING OF BEASTS RISKS HIS LIFE TO FULFILL THE PLEDGE, BUT I WANTED TO BE ABLE TO HOLD MY HEAD HIGH,
KNOWING THAT I WAS SOMEONE WORTHY OF THAT
SO THAT YOU
WOULD BE MY PRIDE...

YOU ALWAYS ATTACK YOURSELF LIKE THIS, BUT YOU TRY TO MOVE FORWARD
YOU HAVE SO MUCH PRIDE, AND I LOVE YOU FOR IT.
SHH
BUT... YOU SHOULD JUST LIVE THE WAY YOU WANT TO, ARKANJEL.
I WILL ALWAYS BE YOURS.
NO ONE CAN KNOW
JUST HOW HAPPY I AM RIGHT NOW.

JUST TOUCHING YOU LIKE THIS,
I COULD DIE THIS VERY MOMENT WITHOUT A SINGLE REGRET
Hmm...
IF SHE FINDS OUT THAT SHE LOST TO ME, A MAN—
QUEEN MARIABELLA'S PRIDE WOULD BE WOUNDED, AND SHE'D PROBABLY NEVER FORGIVE ME FOR THE REST OF HER LIFE
...LOST? WHAT?
SHE WAS USING HER CHARM TO ENTHUSIASTICALLY PROPOSITION YOU INTO BECOMING HER CAPTIVE!
DON'T TELL ME YOU DIDN'T NOTICE IT?
IF SHE BRUSHED MY BODY WITH THE TIPS OF HER WINGS, OR TWINED HER TAIL AROUND MINE,
THEN I'D BE THRILLED, BUT
HUMANS DON'T HAVE WINGS OR TAILS
TWINE
Hunn...

WAIT A MINUTE!
WHA?!
SO YOU MEAN FEMALE DRAGONS HAVE DONE THAT TO YOU?!
EVEN IF THE OTHER PARTY IS A KING WITH STRONG, MAGICAL POWERS, WHAT COULD THAT GROUP BE THINKING,
TAKING ON A CHILD WHO HASN'T EVEN GONE THROUGH PUBERTY?
It's because my wish has accelerated Uru's growth.
INSTEAD OF HAVING WINGS OR TAILS, HUMANS HAVE SMILES.
ARKANJEL HAS AN ESPECIALLY STRONG POWER THAT MAKES NO DISTINCTION BETWEEN MALE AND FEMALE.
TO THE POINT THAT EVEN I SOMETIMES FEEL THAT I'M IN DANGER

HA HA HA!
YOU HAVEN'T JUST BECOME TALKATIVE, YOU'LL ALSO
BE A GOOD KING WHO SEDUCES THE PEOPLE WITH THAT
DOFF
THE PEOPLE ASIDE, I HAVE NO INTEREST IN HUMAN WOMEN.
THAT GOAL IS TWO YEARS OLD ALREADY
YOU'VE ACCOMPLISHED IT MAGNIFICENTLY, HAVEN'T YOU?
I ONLY WANT TO SEDUCE YOU, ARKANJEL

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I feel like an eavesdropping pervert when reading about Uranborg and Ark's confessions... Does this mean I need more EXP points to level up in the Shounen-ai fandom?! :O

– Lacaille

YO, LIRLI-BOY!
WE HEARD ALL ABOUT YOUR FLASHY ENTRANCE!
THAT'S RIGHT! ONCE THE TOWNS-PEOPLE FOUND OUT THAT YOU WERE ARK'S PROTECTOR, THEY STARTED DANCING IN
THE STREETS!
IT WAS LIKE A FESTIVAL!
I'M HAPPY TO HEAR THAT.

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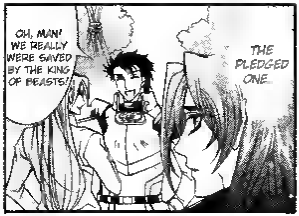
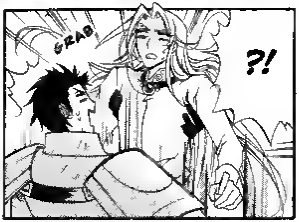
Sorry... My body just...





Newly Written Hilarious 4-Coma!

Yashachi* Ryuu no Koroshitaka

T/N: CUTE WAY OF SAYING "YASASHII."

HURRY UP AND CHANGE YOU TWO
WE'RE MAKING THE HOKKAIDO ENVOY WAIT, ALL SO THAT WE COULD INTRODUCE YOU.
I'LL REFUSE ANYWAY, SO DON'T MAKE HIM WAIT.
YOU CAN'T TAKE JUST THE TWO OF YOU INTO CONSIDERATION
WE MUSTN'T FOREGO OUR MANNERS BEFORE THE ENVOYS OF OTHER COUNTRIES
DOUMA, IT'S A MARRIAGE PROPOSAL FOR YOU
YOUR EXCELLENCY, QUEEN MARIABELLA H..S ARRIVED.
GASP

On top of having Ryuu serialized, I was the most worried about the end of the first chapter, with the fight between the dragons and the humans. The setup was that a dragon's claw was longer than a small human, but I couldn't include it in a 4-coma that had a dragon, so I had a really hard time. But when I drew the last scene of the first chapter, where you can see the characters' growth in their third year and Ura and Ark's feelings perfectly communicated, I was filled with such emotion. I was glad I was drawing manga. And then, in the newly started second chapter, we turn to some celebratory things for, in my opinion, the No. 1 man I'd like to marry, Douma and the No. 1 person I'd like to see happy, Claudia. I'm about as delighted as Gaig.

WELL! YOU TWO ARE STILL IN THAT GETUP! THIS IS VERY TROUBLING!
DO GIVE SOME THOUGHT TO ALL OF MY TROUBLES,
DETAINING THAT ENVOY FROM HOKKAIDO,
AND PROVIDING HIM HOSPITALITY.
MY APOLOGIES WE WERE REPORTING THE TOWN'S SITUATION TO THE COMMANDER.

THE ENVOY FROM HOKKAIDO WAS INCREDIBLY IMPRESSED WITH LORD ARKANJEL,
SAYING THAT NOTHING LESS WAS TO BE EXPECTED FROM A HOLY MAN,
ONE WHO COULD BORROW POWER FROM HIS HIGHNESS, THE KING OF BEASTS, TO WHOM EVEN THE FOUR ANCESTOR GODS ARE NO EQUAL.
MEETING WITH HOKKAIDO'S OFFICIAL ENVOY IN PERSON MEANS THAT...
OTHER COUNTRIES WILL NO LONGER BE ABLE TO TREAT US LIKE IMPOSTORS OVER THE SWORD OF PLEDGE

GENERAL DOLIMA.
WHEN YOU THINK OF IT THAT WAY,
YOU REALIZE THAT YOU CANNOT SIMPLY REFUSE THIS PROPOSAL,
YOUR PARTNER IN THIS ENGAGEMENT IS A PRINCESS BY THE KING'S FIRST QUEEN.
PRINCESS CLAUDIA'S MOTHER WAS, I BELIEVE,
THE FOURTH QUEEN.

IF WE HAVE FEWER ENEMIES THROUGH AN ALLIANCE BOUND BY MARRIAGE,
THIS WILL BE THE SHORTEST ROUTE TO UNITING THE WHOLE COUNTRY FOR OUR HOLY UNIFICATION ARMY.
BUT...
QUEEN MARIABELLA, EXCUSE ME, BUT...
NO MATTER WHAT THE KINGS OF OTHER COUNTRIES SAY AT THIS POINT,
I DON'T CARE THE SLIGHTEST BIT.

"AN UNCOMMON SWINDLER?"
"A DESTROYER WHO WIELDS THE NAME OF HOLY MAN?"
THEY CAN CALL ME WHATEVER THEY LIKE.
ONLY THOSE WHO LOOK AT ME WITH SUCH EYES...
KNOW THE REAL ME
I HAVE NO INTENTION OF DISRUPTING THE LIVES OF MY GOOD FRIENDS, DOUMA AND PRINCESS CLAUDIA,
FOR POLITICAL MARRIAGES OR ALLIANCES BUILT ON MEANING-LESS LIES.
SHOCK

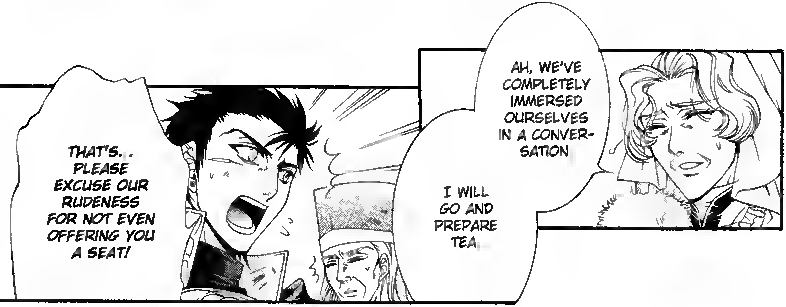
DO YOU UNDER-STAND?
QUEEN MARIABELLA.
IF THERE IS A ROYAL HOUSE THAT HOLDS EVEN ONE OF THE THINGS THAT I DO,
THEN I WOULD LIKE YOU TO TELL ME.
THE PROTECTION OF THE KING OF BEASTS.
MAGICAL POWERS THAT SURPASS THE GREAT RELI-GIOUS INSTI-TUTIONS.
I THINK IT'S ONLY PROPER THAT I MEET THE ENVOY AND REFUSE IN PERSON.
COMRADES WHO SHARE THEIR LIVES AND DEATHS FOR THE SAME PUR-POSE
THE SWORD OF PLEDGE THAT CAN CUT THROUGH ANYTHING.

FROM NOW ON,
PLEASE REFRAIN FROM MAKING IMPERTINENT REMARKS ABOUT THE PAST ROYAL HOUSES' VALUES.
Smile
YOU ARE A WISE PERSON,
SO YOU KNOW YOUR WORTH VERY WELL
PLEASE LEND US YOUR SUPPORT IN THAT AREA
AS IT IS, WE WILL PROMISE REMUNERATION.
...THAT WAS MY INTENTION FROM THE BEGINNING, THOUGH.

SHIFF
THE SAINT QUEEN
THE KING OF LIGHT THE KING OF SORCERY
THE PLEDGED ONES OF THE DRAGON RULERS ALL TRIED TO ESTABLISH A UNIFIED KINGDOM

A RULER OF BEASTS FOR THE YIN WORLD.
A RULER OF HUMANS FOR THE YANG WORLD.
THAT IS WHAT IT MEANS TO BE TRULY SIDE BY SIDE.
AS AN ALLY BY ARKANJEL'S SIDE,
YOU SHOULD THINK OF YOUR ACTIONS AS EXTREMELY WELL-SUITED TO THE WILLS OF THE FOUR ANCESTOR GODS
IF IT IS...
IF IT IS SUITED TO THE WILLS OF THE FOUR ANCESTOR GODS,
THEN BY ALL MEANS

AS LONG AS IT IS IN MY POWER,
I WILL HAPPILY BECOME YOUR STRENGTH IN ANY WAY.


AH, WE'VE COMPLETELY IMMERSED OURSELVES IN A CONVERSATION.
I WILL GO AND PREPARE TEA.
THAT'S... PLEASE EXCUSE OUR RUDENESS FOR NOT EVEN OFFERING YOU A SEAT!

IF IT IS ALL RIGHT WITH HIS HIGHNESS, THE KING OF BEASTS,
WON'T YOU ALL HAVE A LOOK AT THE INNER GARDEN THAT I AM SO PROUD OF, AT LEAST UNTIL ALL PREPARATIONS ARE DONE?
IT'S THE PERFECT TIME TO SEE THE ROSES AND LILIES.

LILIES ARE MY FAVOURITE FLOWERS, TOO
BECAUSE THEY RESEMBLE MY BELOVED
WELL, I WONDER WHAT KIND OF PERSON HIS HIGHNESS' SPECIAL PERSON IS..
I'M SURE...
SHE IS A LOVELY LADY WHO SUITS HIS HIGHNESS

chirp
chirp
chirp
I GUESS I MUST HAVE FALLEN ASLEEP IN THE MIDDLE OF TALKING

TURN
IT'S YIN ESSENCE!
THERE'S A BEAST NEARBY!
SFX: BAM
SFX: FLAP

FLAP
FLAP
Ahh, king of beasts
we have been looking for your highness,
the dragon of greatness, our lord
we offer our gratitude to you,
for coming out so promptly

WHAT DO THE ELDERS WANT WITH ME?
We have come with a message for you, Highness, entrusted to us by the dragon elders
the silver-white Dragon did not die in the recent fight for the throne,
and has crossed over into the yang world
As such, they would like your Highness to find him and bring him back without any further delay

After Your Highness crossed the worlds for an emergency,
The elders noticed that there was no diffusion of essence that usually accompanies a dragon's death,
and when they asked the fire spirits, who were assembling at the volcano
THAT WEIRDO IS IN THE YANG WORLD?!
BUT I DEFEATED HIM, HE FELL INTO THE CRATER, AND DIED...
SFX: BAM
the fire spirits answered that
they were asked to cause an eruption by the silver-white dragon
they said that while he was falling into the crater,
the silver-white dragon was swallowed up by something that looked like an enormous mirror, and disappeared
AH

SFX: WHOOOOO
A MIRROR?!
COULD IT BE THAT MAN...?!
this was the message from the elders
and was to bring this dragon back to the yin world without further delay
his highness, the king of beasts, was to be made aware of this,

GRIP
HE'S INTERVENING EVEN IN THE CONFLICTS OF DRAGONS...
That man desires revenge against the world
which sacrificed the life of his beloved dragon
THE KING OF SORCERY, DANTALION.

My grandfather is an elf who has lived a long life endowed with strong magical powers
and drawing the blood of the ancient people
Not only has he constantly been my opponent, but if he has gotten his hands on a dragon...
...with powers equal to those of the dragon king...
URANBORG...
DO YOU THINK HE REALLY SUMMONED THE SILVER-WHITE DRAGON?
A human!
There's a human over there!

SHING
you filth! you selfish ape!
our king is...!
Because of you,
SILENCE!
I WON'T FORGIVE SUCH RUDENESS BEFORE MY PLEDGED ONE!

SFX: FLAP
the pledge of the noble soul
the sacred bond
the sad and beautiful dream
An everlasting love
oh, pledged one of our king

BOWS
Please forgive our rudeness before you, PLEDGED one
We DID not know
We sisters a... beasts called harpies.
I KNOW IT MUST BE HARD, TRAVELLING AS MESSENGERS IN THE MIDST OF ALL THIS YANG ESSENCE
WHICH CAN ONLY BE POISON TO THE BEASTS.
HOW DID YOU KNOW WHERE I WAS?
We have the power to follow the yin essence left behind by Dragons
That is why the elders told us to help with the search for the silve...-white Dragon
I SEE. THAT WOULD HELP.

HM? WHAT IS THAT WOUND ON YOUR FACE?
DID A HUMAN DO THAT?
yes
two of our younger sisters were captured, turned into exhalations, and rather than die in madness, they took their own lives
I AM SORRY. I HAVE CAUSED YOU GRIEF.
we are most honoured to be of use to our king
ANY MORE EXPOSURE TO YANG ESSENCE WOULD BE AGONY.
I WILL MAKE ALL OF YOU MY SUMMONS.
shine
GIVE ME ALL YOUR NAMES.

I am called Alcyone
Merope
Maia
Taygeta
I am Celaeno
shine
Thou sisters, become servants under my name and conceal thyselves,
dormant, in my blood.
But when I summon thee upon my name,
swiftly use thy power and destroy my enemies

SFX: SHIIING
SFX: FLASH
Demon contract invocation!
SFX: FLOMF
STEP
...WHAT'S WRONG?

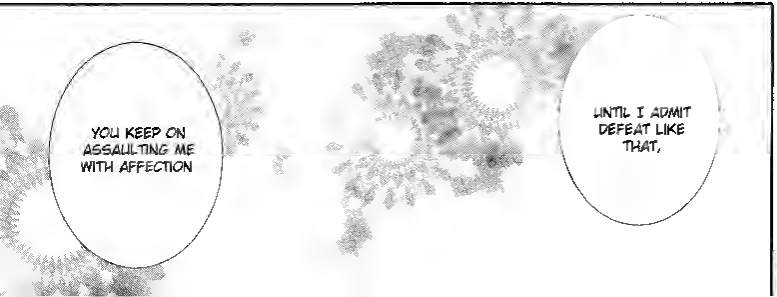
WE'RE IN QUITE A FIX, HUH?
...THAT WEIRDO I THOUGHT I HAD GOTTEN RID OF HIM FOREVER...
I'm fine with a Scylla or a Lamia,
but I'm really no good with u weirdoes...
I GUESS IT MUST BE LIKE FEELING THAT YOU COULD SOMEHOW MANAGE SPIDERS AND SNAKES
BUT CANNOT STAND LIZARDS
touch
touch

I WONDER WHY
WHY WHAT?
WHENEVER YOU TOUCH ME,
IT FEELS SO GOOD, I FEEL LIKE CRYING.
...I'M BEGGING YOU,
PLEASE STOP SAYING THINGS LIKE THAT ALL OF A SUDDEN.
MY HEART STARTS BEATING SO FAST THAT IT FEELS LIKE IT WILL EXPLODE, YOU KNOW.

I FEEL THAT WAY, TOO.
MY CHEST HURTS SO MUCH THAT IT FEELS LIKE I'M SUFFO-CATING BUT I'M SO HAPPY
IT FEELS LIKE MY ESSENCE IS GOING TO TURN STRANGE
JUST HEARING YOUR VOICE,
AND FEELING THE TOUCH OF YOUR FINGERS,
I GET CHILLS RUNNING DOWN MY SPINE
THAT'S WEIRD.
I DON'T EVEN HAVE WINGS OR A TAIL TO TWINE AROUND YOUR BODY

YOU ARE FINE THE WAY YOU ARE, ARKANJEL
YOU BEING WHO YOU ARE...
...MAKES ME THE HAPPIEST
ALL THE THINGS THAT I THOUGHT I WOULD SAY WHEN I SAW YOU...
...DON'T MATTER ANYMORE.
THIS MOMENT IS EVERY-THING

YOU ARE HERE.
I ONLY, SIMPLY LOVE YOU, ARKANJEL.
I DON'T NEED ANYTHING ELSE—
TOUCH
I GIVE UP, URANBORG

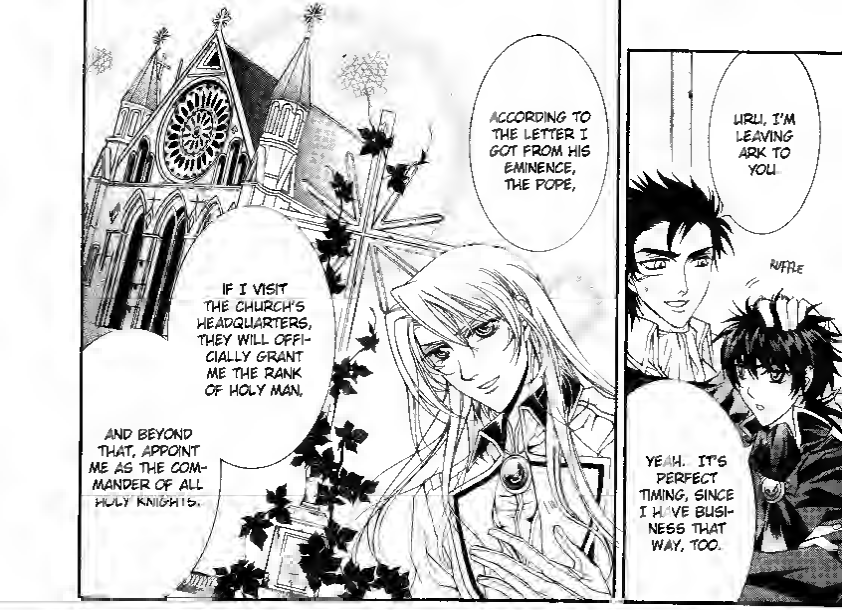

UNTIL I ADMIT DEFEAT LIKE THAT,
YOU KEEP ON ASSAULTING ME WITH AFFECTION

I HAVE NOWHERE TO RUN NOW, NOTHING LEFT BUT SURRENDER.
I CHOSE YOU...
...OVER THE WORLD.
YOU SPELL IS THE STRONGEST, ARKANJEL.
YOU HAVE THE POWER TO BIND THE KING OF THE MYTHICAL BEASTS UNTIL DEATH
BUT WE DRAGONS ARE FOOLISH
THAT'S WHY I WANT TO HEAR THAT FATAL SPELL OVER AND OVER AGAIN

THAT'S WHY, SAY IT AGAIN
ONE MORE TIME...
Fw
THIS SPELL IS A DOUBLE-EDGED SWORD.
I HAVE TO THROW AWAY EVERYTHING BECAUSE OF IT.
hold
BUT...
IF THIS SPELL CAN BIND THIS DRAGON UNTIL DEATH,
THEN I ADMIT IT'S WORTH IT.

I LOVE YOU, URANBORG.
YOU'VE CAST A SPELL ON ME TO LAST UNTIL I DIE.

I WISH I HAD THE POWER TO STOP TIME JUST LIKE THIS...
...OH, MAN. TO BE RECOGNIZED AS THE OFFICIAL ARMY OF THE CHURCH OF THE FOUR ANCESTOR GODS SOUNDS PRETTY GOOD
BUT TO THINK THAT THE COMMANDER WOULD BE AWAY AT AN IMPORTANT TIME LIKE THIS...
MAKE SURE YOU COME BACK BEFORE I'M BURIED ALIVE IN A MOUNTAIN OF DOCUMENTS...


ACCORDING TO THE LETTER I GOT FROM HIS EMINENCE, THE POPE,
IF I VISIT THE CHURCH'S HEADQUARTERS, THEY WILL OFFICIALLY GRANT ME THE RANK OF HOLY MAN.
AND BEYOND THAT, APPOINT ME AS THE COMMANDER OF ALL HOLY KNIGHTS.
URU, I'M LEAVING ARK TO YOU.
RUFFLE
YEAH. IT'S PERFECT TIMING, SINCE I HAVE BUSINESS THAT WAY, TOO.

I WILL BE MAKING THE SAME ENTRANCE AS I DID WHEN I RETURNED TO THIS TOWN, RIDING UPON THE DRAGON KING.
That'll shock the guys at the Church for sure!
ORIGINALLY, WE WOULDN'T HAVE COME CLOSE TO THE HEADQUARTERS WITHOUT FIRST DEFEATING TOUKYOUTO AND OSAKA.
BUT YOU CAN FLY IN ON URU.

THOSE GUYS AT THE CHURCH WERE TRYING TO KEEP TABS ON US FROM ABOVE.
AT LEAST UNTIL WE WERE CLOSE TO UNIFYING THE COUNTRY.
YOU'VE JUST COME BACK FROM A CAMPAIGN, SO YOU MUST BE TIRED.
BE CAREFUL THAT YOU DON'T RUIN YOUR HEALTH.
THE SAME GOES FOR YOU, TOO.
IT IS LIKELY THAT THOSE WHO HAVE SEEN THE DRAGON WILL RUSH IN AS VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS
AND AMONG THEM, THERE WILL BE SPIES FROM EACH NATION TRYING TO SLIP IN
THIS WILL BE TROUBLESOME...
YES. THE PROBLEM IS GETTING INTELLIGENCE.

AFTER ALL...
THE AGENT WE SENT TO FIND OUT ABOUT TOCHIGIKEN'S BETRAYAL WAS KILLED.
OUR INFORMATION WILL HAVE BEEN LEAKED TO TOUKYOUTO.
WE HAVE SOME IDEA OF WHO AND WHERE THEY ARE. RIGHT?
SHOULD I TAKE CARE OF IT?
YOUR WAY OF DOING THINGS STANDS OUT TOO MUCH, SO THAT WON'T DO.
SINCE WE'VE ALREADY PLAYED OUR HAND,
WE'LL BE FOUND OUT WHEN WE LOSE ALL OUR BEDFELLOWS.

FIGHTS AMONG HUMANS SURE ARE DIFFICULT...
I DON'T THINK I COULD MANAGE IT.
...I'M SURPRISED.
GIVEN YOUR PERSONALITY, I THOUGHT YOU WOULD HAVE HATED THAT KIND OF THING.
YOU MEAN, INTELLIGENCE WORK?
...THAT'S TRUE.
IT'S TREACHEROUS AND HARDENS YOUR HEART, BUT THERE'S NO DENYING THAT IT'S NECESSARY.
NO MATTER HOW MUCH YOU, THE KING OF BEASTS, TRY TO PROTECT ARK,
THERE'S NO HELP TO BE HAD IF SOMEONE PUTS POISON IN HIS FOOD OR STABS HIM IN HIS SLEEP.

YOU KNOW,
I THOUGHT THAT IF I COULDN'T GET USED TO BEING A SOLDIER,
AND HAD TO MARRY THE PRINCE OF SOME COUNTRY,
I'D WANT TO BE A BRIDE WHO COULD BE USEFUL.
SO I INVESTIGATED A LOT OF THINGS,
AND EVEN STUDIED POISONS AND ASSASSINATION METHODS,
SO THAT I WOULD BE ABLE TO PROTECT THE ONE WHO WOULD BECOME MY HUSBAND
I CAN USE ALL OF THAT NOW
I'M SO HAPPY THAT I CAN USE MY OWN METHODS AND POWER TO PROTECT THE PEOPLE IMPORTANT TO ME.

I DON'T THINK IT MAKES GAIS TOO HAPPY.
BUT I ABSOLUTELY WON'T REGRET IT
BECAUSE...
...HAVING DOUMA, GAIS, AND ARK ALIVE AND BY MY SIDE...
...IS MY HAPPINESS!
...AH! OF COURSE, I LOVE YOU, TOO, URU.

WISE AND MAGNANIMOUS PRINCESS,
IF, AS CEPHEID SAID, YOU AND THE HOLY QUEEN ARE VERY MUCH ALIKE,
TOUCH
THEN I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT HIS PLEDGE WAS THE RIGHT THING.
THERE ARE MANY TROUBLESOME APES AMONG HUMANS, BUT...
THERE ARE ALSO HUMANS WORTHY OF DRAGONS RISKING THEIR LIVES AND PLEDGING THEMSELVES.

I AM HAPPY TO HAVE MET YOU.
THANK YOU.
I'LL WORK HARD SO THAT YOU CAN ALWAYS SAY THAT.

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My beloved with the beautiful hair

The lovely person like the lily

I love you more